

## House Resolution No. 1687

**Whereas**, it is with tremendous pleasure that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause in their diverse legislative endeavors in order to recognize such outstanding Missouri citizens as Huey Rodeheaver of Warrenton; and

**Whereas**, a resident of Saint Charles County since 1979 when he moved from New Jersey, Huey Rodeheaver enhanced his already impressive record of accomplishment when he became a founder of Barat Academy, a private, independent Catholic high school that is being built in Dardenne Prairie and that is scheduled to open with its inaugural freshmen class in the fall of 2007; and

**Whereas**, Huey Rodeheaver donated \$1 million to Barat Academy in memory of his wife, Patricia, who was active in a number of organizations and causes before her death in 2001; and

**Whereas**, the late Patricia Rodeheaver served as a supporter of the Boone Center in Saint Peters and as a member of boards at Enterprise Bank, Saint Charles Community College, and the National Association of Women Business Owners; and

**Whereas**, favorite charities of Patricia Rodeheaver also included organizations devoted to diabetes and multiple sclerosis research; and

**Whereas**, Huey Rodeheaver is the founder of Custom Design Telephone Systems in O'Fallon, which employed 350 people for more than twenty years before being sold in 1989; and

**Whereas**, the financial support of Huey Rodeheaver for Barat Academy is in acknowledgment that the educational institution was founded to produce well-rounded students who will be taught that giving back to their community is an important American trait; and

**Whereas**, Huey Rodeheaver is justifiably proud also to be known as the loving father of Stephanie Fulkerson-Theobald of Augusta:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the selfless generosity embodied in the life and philanthropy of Huey Rodeheaver and to convey to him this legislative body's most heartfelt commendation of his being a highly esteemed founder of Barat Academy; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for presentation to Huey Rodeheaver of Warrenton, Missouri.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Bob Onder  
District No. 13

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,  
Ninety-fourth General Assembly, First Regular Session, do  
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House  
Resolution No. 1687, adopted April 2, 2007.

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Rod Jetton, Speaker